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Application granted. SO ORDERED.



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Via Email

Honorable Ronnie Abrams United States District Judge United States District Court Southern District of New York July 17, 2018

40 Foley Square New York, New York 10007

> Re: United States v. Galanis, et al., S1 16-cr-371 (RA)

Ronnie Abrams, U.S.D.J.

Dear Judge Abrams:

The undersigned represents Michelle Morton in the above captioned matter and moves to withdraw as Ms. Morton's counsel due to the undersigned's recently submitted application to the United States Attorney's Office in the Southern District of New York. See government letter filed via email on July 13, 2018.

Mr. Morvillo and Ms. Stevenson will continue to represent Ms. Morton. Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP (the "firm") will establish an ethical screen which will separate the undersigned from involvement in Ms. Morton's matter.

If the Court grants this letter motion, and in light of the firm's ethical screen, Ms. Morton and the government agree that a Curcio hearing is no longer necessary.

We are available at the Court's convenience should it require further information on this issue.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Caitlin Sikes Caitlin Sikes

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